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1. The major Chinese Communist troop dispositions in Korea are as follows:

- a. The Chinese Communist high command at Combined General Headquarters in Konji-dong (125-59, 39-06) (YD-5832), with 320 Chinese Communist officers.
- b. The 46, 48, 49, 50, 51 and 52 Divisions of the 5 Army Group, 2 Field Army,¹ deployed in the Kaech'on (125-51, 39-42) (YD-4998) Pakch'on (125-35, 39-44) (YE-2101) Chongju (125-13, 39-42) (XD-9096) Kwaksan (125-05, 39-41) (XD-7994) Tokchon² area.
- c. The 60 Army, with a strength of 35,000 men, comprising the 179, 180, and 181 Divisions. Some elements of the 60 Army are northeast of Namch'on (126-19, 38-10) (BT-6527).
- d. The 65 Army, with a strength of 40,000 men, comprising the 193, 194, 195 Divisions, in the Kaesong area. Elements of the 118 and 119 Divisions of the 40 Army are also in the Kaesong area.
- e. The 9 Army Group of the 3 Field Army, in the Suan (126-22, 38-42) (BT-7186)-Sibyŏn-ni (126-42, 38-18) (BT-9941) area. The 26 Army with a strength of 18,000, in Kumsŏng (127-37, 38-25) (CT-7953).
- f. The 42 Army, with a strength of 27,000, in the area west of P'yŏnggang (127-18, 38-25) (CT-5253).
- g. The 64 Army, with a strength of 23,000, on the front line between the 63 and the 42 Army.
- h. The 68 Army, with a strength of 23,500, on the front line between the Chinese Communist 12 Army and the North Korean II Corps.
- i. The 12 Army, with a strength of 28,000, in the Ch'angdo-ri (127-40, 38-30) (CT-8462) area.

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- j. The 39 Army, with a strength of 28,000, on the front line, west of Ch'ŏrwŏn (127-12, 38-15) (CT-4335)
- k. The 63 Army, with a strength of 28,000, on the front line, north of Korangp'o-ri (126-50, 37-59) (CT-1006).

2. The following Chinese Communist units are in reserve in Korea:

- a. The 20 Army, with a strength of 25,000, in the area west of Tokoh'on (126-18, 39-45) (BT-6903).
- b. The 15 Army, with a strength of 28,000, in the Ich'on (126-53, 38-30) (CT-1563) area.
- c. The 27 Army, with a strength of 17,500, formerly in Yangdok (126-38, 39-13) (BT-9643), is moving into the Sariwon (125-45, 38-30) (YC-4064) area.
- d. The 38 Army, with a strength of 28,000, is replacing elements of the 27 Army in the Yangdok area.
- e. The 40 Army, with a strength of 28,000, in the area south of Sariwon. Some elements are operating with the 65 Army.
- f. Elements of the 60 Army, with a strength of 13,500, in the area southwest of Koksan (126-40, 38-47) (BT-9795).³
- g. The 47 Army, with a strength of 21,000, recently entered the area north of Sibyon-ni.
- h. The 67 Army, with a strength of 12,500, in the Hoeyang (127-37, 38-42) (CT-8084) area.

3. The following Chinese Communist artillery units are in Korea:

- a. The 1st Artillery Division, with a strength of 6,000, on the western front.
- b. The 2nd Artillery Division, with a strength of 5,800 on the western front.
- c. The 5th Artillery Division, with a strength of 6,200, on the western front.
- d. The 8th Artillery Division, with a strength of 5,700, on the west-central front.
- e. The Kungan (sic) Division, with a strength of 10,000, on the central front.

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- 1. Comment. According to information available these divisions were believed to be in Kweichon and Sikang as of 1 January 1952. However, there have been reports from another Korean source that the 5 Army Group is in Korea.

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- 2. Comment. Possibly Sonch'on (124-55, 39-48) (XE-6407) is intended.

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- 3. Comment. Presumably, the total strength of 35,000 given in paragraph 1.c. includes the elements mentioned here.

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